UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF RHODE ISLAND

MICHAEL P. O'NEIL and NICOLA GRASSO,

Plaintiffs,

v.

C.A. No. 1:19-cv-612-WES-PAS

PETER F. NERONHA, in his Official Capacity as Attorney General of Rhode Island and COLONEL JAMES M. MANNI, in his Official Capacity as The Superintendent of the Rhode Island State Police,

Defendants.

JOINT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Plaintiffs Michael P. O'Neil and Nicola Grasso ("Plaintiffs") and Peter F. Neronha, in his official capacity as Attorney General of Rhode Island, and James M. Manni, in his official capacity as the superintendent of the Rhode Island State Police ("Defendants") (collectively "the parties"), respectfully jointly request a 30-day extension of the deadlines set forth in Rule 54 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Rules 54 and 54.1 of the Local Rules of Civil Procedure regarding seeking costs and attorneys' fees. Pursuant to these rules, any motion seeking costs and attorneys' fees must be filed within 14 days of the judgment, which in this case would be by March 29, 2022. The parties jointly request that the Court extend that deadline by 30 days up to and including April 28, 2022. The parties assert that granting the requested extension will promote judicial economy and provide an

opportunity for the parties to potentially reach an agreed-upon resolution regarding these matters without the need for court intervention.

Wherefore, the parties request that the Court grant the requested extension and extend the deadline for filing any motion for attorneys' fees or costs up to and including April 28, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

PLAINTIFFS,

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I filed and served all counsel of record with a copy of the within through the ECF filing system on this 17th day of March, 2022, and that it is available for viewing and downloading by counsel of record:

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